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## IT'S TIME: 1<sup>st</sup> WHITE PLAINS COMIC-CON! POW! ZAM! WOW!

The Ultimate Experience for Comic Book Fans of all Ages

WHITE PLAINS, NY – April 13, 2015. The White Plains Cares Coalition is partnering with Nancy Silberkliet, Co-CEO of Archie Comics to bring the 1<sup>st</sup> Comic Con to White Plains. This all-day event will be held at the White Plains Library on:

Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> 11:00 am – 4:00pm

Come meet and interact with over 25 comic book artists and creators including artists from Papercutz, Archie Comics and Beetle Bailey Comics. The event will feature three panel discussions: "How Comic Books Are Made," "How Comics Can Benefit Learning," and "How Comic Books Have Sustained over the Years." There will also be a new Graphic Card Game launch and a special guest greeting.

Wear your best costume and enjoy this family-friendly event on Saturday, May 16<sup>th</sup> at the White Plains Library.

For more information and to schedule an exclusive interview with Nancy Silberkleit, Co-CEO of Archie Comics contact Chanelle Hyde, White Plains Youth Bureau, at 914-422-1378 or Brian Kenney, White Plains Library Director, at 914-422-1480.

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